



January 18, 2012

Senator Menard  
Legislative Council Chair

Re: Dare to Care School Lunch Program

Dear Senator Menard,

We would like to request sanctioning to our upcoming 6<sup>th</sup> Annual 'Hollywood Under the Stars' Gala Fundraiser being hosted by Erik Estrada. The event is being held on Saturday, February 25<sup>th</sup> at the Anchorage Sheraton. All proceeds of the event will benefit the Dare to Care program and help feed children-in-need in our schools.

The program was started by twelve year old Lena Wild when she was in first grade and had a hungry friend. In trying to help the friend, we learned of the bigger problem and that many children were going hungry in our schools every day. These are children who do not receive benefit of the federal meal program. Many are abused and neglected or going through a life crisis and need help. Dare to Care was formed and is now benefitting over 3,500 children. We are a 501c3 and a copy of the IRS paperwork is attached.

Although there are other food programs in our community, we are the only program that helps feed children during the day while at school.

The above noted gala is our one major fundraiser of the year and necessary for the continued success of the program. Individual tickets are \$100 each and table sponsorships are \$1,500 and \$3,000. The Platinum, \$3,000 table is an 'Adopt a School' sponsorship in which that person or business is ensuring no child goes hungry in that school for a whole school year. Tables seat 10 people.

The event will include music and entertainment, both a live and silent auction, and a seated gourmet dinner. We are very excited to have Mr. Estrada and are thankful for his time in our state to bring awareness of childhood hunger and help our program. Thank you for anything you are able to do to help ensure the success of this event.

Please let me know if any additional information is needed to make this a sanctioned event.

Thank you for your time,

Bettsie Wild  
Founder

***"No Child Goes Hungry"***

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PO BOX 671643  
CHUGIAK AK 99567-1643

If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,



S. A. Martin, Operations Manager  
Accounts Management Operations

# Juneau-Douglas Shrine Club

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Jan 19, 2012

Senator Linda Menard  
Alaska State Capitol, Room 9  
Juneau, Alaska

Subject: Legislative Sanctioning for the Juneau-Douglas Shrine Club's  
Annual Dance to benefit Shriners Hospitals for Children

Dear Senator Menard,

The Juneau-Douglas Shrine Club hosts a Dance every spring at Centennial Hall in Juneau to raise money for the Shriners primary charity — the Shriners Hospitals for Children. The Shriners Hospitals for Children are a 501(c)3 organization and 100 percent of the net proceeds from the event are sent to the Shriners Hospitals.

The Shriners are an international fraternity based on fun, fellowship and the Masonic principles of brotherly love, relief and truth. There are approximately 350,000 members from 191 temples (chapters) in the U.S., Canada, Mexico, Republic of Panama, the Phillipines and Germany. Alaska Shriners are members of the Al Aska Temple in Anchorage. Juneau Shriners are members of the Al Aska Temple and have been active in Juneau since 1912.

The Shriners' primary philanthropic role is to provide support for the Shriners Hospitals for Children®, an international health care system of 22 hospitals dedicated to improving the lives of children by providing specialty pediatric care, innovative research and outstanding teaching programs. Children up to age 18 with orthopedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, and cleft lip and palate are eligible for care at Shriners Hospitals for Children and receive all services with no financial obligation to families. For more information regarding the Shriners please visit our Shriners Hospital website at [www.shrinershq.org/Hospitals/Main/About](http://www.shrinershq.org/Hospitals/Main/About).

The Juneau –Douglas Shriners are requesting official legislative sanctioning of this event and inclusion into the legislative calendar of charitable events. The dance will be held on March 17<sup>th</sup> 2012, from 7pm to Midnight at Centennial Hall, in Juneau. Further details can be garnered from the attached poster, or from our web site at <http://www.juneaushrinersball.org>.

Ticket prices are \$30 per person or \$50 Couples. A reduced rate of \$25 is offered for students, seniors, and those in active military service. Ticket Sales Limited to persons 18 years of age or older, as there will be a no-host bar.

A copy of the 501 (c) (3) certification for the Shriners Hospitals for Children will be following in a separate mailing.

Your consideration of this request would be greatly appreciated. I am available to discuss this proposal and answer any questions that might arise at your convenience.

Sincerely Yours,

Paul Moran, President  
907-723-5015



**Juneau-Douglas Shrine Club P.O. Box 20865  
Juneau, Alaska 99802-0865**

*The Juneau-Douglas Shrine Club Presents the  
2012 Shriners St. Patrick's Day Dance, Featuring:*

# BRICKHOUSE

S H O W B A N D



**MARCH 17<sup>TH</sup> 2012, 7PM TO MIDNIGHT AT CENTENNIAL HALL**  
**NO-HOST BAR & HORS D'OEUVRES**  
**CASUAL DRESS / DANCE / DISCO ATTIRE**  
**\$30 PER PERSON, \$50 COUPLES, \$25 STUDENTS, SENIORS, & ACTIVE MILITARY**  
**TICKET SALES LIMITED TO PERSONS 18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER**

For Tickets visit Hearthside Books, or call  
723-5015, 500-2103

**100% of Net Proceeds to Benefit the**  
**Shriners Hospitals for Children**  
**A 501(c)3 Corporation**



**Shriners Hospitals**  
for Children®

Internal Revenue Service  
District Director

Department of the Treasury

P. O. Box 2508  
Cincinnati, OH 45201

Date: June 24, 1998

Person to Contact:  
Carol Kraft  
Telephone Number:  
513-241-5199  
Fax Number:  
513-684-5936  
Federal Identification Number:  
36-2193608  
Accounting Period Ends  
December 31

Shriners Hospitals for Children  
P.O. Box 31356  
Tampa, FL 33631-3356

Dear Sir or Madam:

We have received the copy of the Articles of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation filed with the Secretary of State of Colorado on July 19, 1996, indicating that the name has been changed from Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children to the name shown above.

This letter supersedes our letter dated August 13, 1998.

In March 1937 we issued a determination letter that recognized your organization as exempt from federal income tax under section 101(6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1939 (now section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986). That determination letter is still in effect.

We classified your organization as a publicly supported organization, and not a private foundation, because it is described in sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(iii) of the Code. This classification was based on the assumption that your organization's operations would continue as stated in the application. If your organization's purposes, character, method of operations, or sources of support have changed, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on the organization's exempt status and foundation status.

Your organization is required to file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, only if its gross receipts each year are normally more than \$25,000. If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of the organization's annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$20 a day, up to a maximum of \$10,000, when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay.

As of January 1, 1984, your organization is liable for taxes under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act (social security taxes) on remuneration of \$100 or more the organization pays to each of its employees during a calendar year. There is no liability for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Organizations that are not private foundations are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, these organizations are not automatically exempt from other federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other federal taxes, please let us know.

Donors may deduct contributions to your organization as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to your organization or for its use are deductible for federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

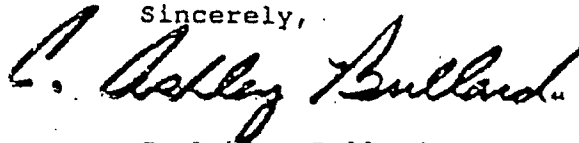
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Your organization is not required to file federal income tax returns unless it is subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If your organization is subject to this tax, it must file an income tax return on Form 990-T, Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return. In this letter, we are not determining whether any of your organization's present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your organization's exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it with the permanent records of the organization.

If you have questions, you may direct them to us at the address or telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "C. Ashley Bullard".

C. Ashley Bullard  
District Director



**Big Brothers Big Sisters**  
of Alaska

Tuesday, January 03, 2012

The Honorable Linda Menard, Chair  
Legislative Council Committee  
120 4<sup>th</sup> Street, State Capitol, Room 3  
Juneau, Alaska 99801-1182

Dear Senator Menard:

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Alaska respectfully requests that the Legislative Council Committee sanction the 2012 Juneau Bowl for Kids Sake event scheduled for April 7, 2012 at Taku Lanes. Big Brothers Big Sisters is a non-profit organization (501(c)(3)).

Bowl for Kids Sake is an annual fundraiser with bowlers collecting funds for Big Brothers Big Sisters. Teams challenge each other to see who can raise most funds and compete against teams throughout the state for prizes donated by supportive businesses.

In Juneau, Big Brothers Big Sisters support approximately 150 matches. Big Brothers Big Sisters' mission is to provide children facing adversity with strong and enduring, professionally supported one-to-one relationships that change their lives for the better, forever. Our programs match youth with adult mentors in both the school and community setting.

We are requesting the event be sanctioned so that legislators, legislative staff, and others in legislative activities might form teams to raise funds for activities of Big Brothers Big Sisters activities in Juneau.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

**Caitlyn McLaughlin**  
Director of Development

**Denny DeWitt, Chair**  
Local Committee

Think of the possibilities. What will you start?

**Start**

**Something**

110 Seward St, Ste 2 Juneau, AK 99801 Tel: 586-3350 Fax: 586-1886

[www.bigbrothersbigsistersalaska.org](http://www.bigbrothersbigsistersalaska.org)



Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

P.O. Box 2508  
Cincinnati OH 45201

In reply refer to: 0248662390  
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BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF ALASKA  
1057 W FIREWEED LN STE 202  
ANCHORAGE AK 99503-1760



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Employer Identification Number: 80-0064172  
Person to Contact: Mr Patterson  
Toll Free Telephone Number: 1-877-829-5500

Dear Taxpayer:

This is in response to your Nov. 30, 2009, request for information regarding your tax-exempt status.

Our records indicate that your organization was recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code in a determination letter issued in December 2003.

Our records also indicate that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are described in section(s) 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

Beginning with the organization's sixth taxable year and all succeeding years, it must meet one of the public support tests under section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) or section 509(a)(2) as reported on Schedule A of the Form 990. If your organization does not meet the public support test for two consecutive years, it is required to file Form 990-PF, Return of Private Foundation, for the second tax year that the organization failed to meet the support test and will be reclassified as a private foundation.

If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.



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BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF ALASKA  
1057 W FIREWEED LN STE 202  
ANCHORAGE AK 99503-1760

Sincerely yours,

*Michele M. Sullivan*

Michele M. Sullivan, Oper. Mgr.  
Accounts Management Operations I



**Save the Date**  
**"A Night in New Orleans"**

April 7, 2012

7pm

The Moose Lodge

Three course meal with wine pairings

Dessert & Silent Auction

**All proceeds benefit travel to New Orleans, LA  
to participate in the Crescent City Choral  
Festival**

To reserve your space or for more info:  
alaskayouthchoir@gci.net 907.790.3310

AYC is funded in part by the Citizens of the City & Borough of Juneau through sales tax revenue.



PO Box 22202

Juneau, AK 99802

907.790.3310

alaskayouthchoir@gci.net

92-0152021

Dear Senator Menard:

I am writing to request legislative sanctioning of the Alaska Youth Choir's fundraising dinner, "A Night in New Orleans," to be held Saturday, April 7th, at the Moose Family Center in Juneau.

Tickets for the dinner will be \$65 per person, and in addition to the New Orleans-themed, four-course meal the evening will also feature a live dessert auction, silent auction for a variety of other prizes, and musical entertainment. All proceeds from the dinner will support travel, lodging, and registration costs for the choristers of the Alaska Youth Choir (children ages 10-17) to attend the Crescent City Choral Festival, to be held in June in New Orleans.

The good work of the Alaska Youth Choir is familiar to the Alaska Legislature. Every year for several years now the Choir, under the Artistic Direction of Missouri Smyth, has helped the Legislature kick off its regular session by performing heartfelt versions of the *Alaska Flag Song*, *America the Beautiful*, and other selections at the State Capitol. Sanctioning the annual tour dinner will enable the Choir Board members and friends to invite legislators and their staff members to this fundraising dinner. In addition to good food and fun, your members and staff can learn more about this organization that enriches children's lives and advances the art of choral music through vocal artistry, musical experience, and self-pride.

Enclosed please find a "save-the-date" postcard about the dinner and a copy of our 501(c)(3) documentation. You can learn more about the choir and the fundraising dinner at our website, [www.alaskayouthchoir.com](http://www.alaskayouthchoir.com).

Sincerely,

Tony Newman  
Board of Directors, Alaska Youth Choir

Enc: "Save the Date" postcard for Alaska Youth Choir dinner, 501(c)3 letter

cc: Pam Varni, Director, Legislative Affairs Agency

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE  
DISTRICT DIRECTOR  
P. O. BOX 2508  
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date:

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ALASKA YOUTH CHOIR  
PO BOX 22202  
JUNEAU, AK 99802

Employer Identification Number:  
92-0152021

DLN:

17053198713049

Contact Person:

GAIL BOKER

ID# 31234

Contact Telephone Number:

(877) 829-5500

Our Letter Dated:

March 1995

Addendum Applies:

No

Dear Applicant:

This modifies our letter of the above date in which we stated that you would be treated as an organization that is not a private foundation until the expiration of your advance ruling period.

Your exempt status under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization described in section 501(c)(3) is still in effect. Based on the information you submitted, we have determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are an organization of the type described in section 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Grantors and contributors may rely on this determination unless the Internal Revenue Service publishes notice to the contrary. However, if you lose your section 509(a)(1) status, a grantor or contributor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act, or the substantial or material change on the part of the organization that resulted in your loss of such status, or if he or she acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that you would no longer be classified as a section 509(a)(1) organization.

If we have indicated in the heading of this letter that an addendum applies, the addendum enclosed is an integral part of this letter.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your private foundation status, please keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown above.

Sincerely yours,



District Director

Letter 1050 (DO/CG)



**"The Biggest Little Fair in Alaska"**

P.O. Box 39210, Ninilchik, AK 99639  
(907) 567-3670 Ph (907) 567-3653 Fax  
[kpsfair@acsalaska.net](mailto:kpsfair@acsalaska.net)

February 2, 2012

Re: Fair Fundraiser

To Whom It May Concern

On April 14, 2012 we will be holding our seventh annual, Celebrity Waiter Event. I am respectfully requesting that you sanction this event.

The Kenai Peninsula Fair is a 501©3 non profit. All monies raised from the event are used to help maintain the facility and bring exciting events to the fair. Tickets are \$30 each or 2 for \$55. The facility is used year round by the Ninilchik community and surrounding areas. This fundraiser benefits the entire Kenai Peninsula.

If you have any questions or need additional information please do not hesitate to contact me. I can be reached at (907) 567-3670.

Sincerely,

*Lara E. McGinnis*

Lara McGinnis  
Manager, Kenai Peninsula Fair

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE  
P. O. BOX 2508  
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date: JUL 22 2010

KENAI PENINSULA FAIR ASSOCIATION  
PO BOX 39210  
NINILCHIK, AK 99639

Employer Identification Number:  
27-0502341  
DLN:  
600071001  
Contact Person:  
LYNN HALL ID# 75092  
Contact Telephone Number:  
(877) 829-5500  
Accounting Period Ending:  
December 31  
Public Charity Status:  
509(a)(2)  
Form 990 Required:  
Yes  
Effective Date of Exemption:  
October 27, 2008  
Contribution Deductibility:  
Yes  
Addendum Applies:  
No

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

Letter 947 (DO/CG)

# "A Reelin', Squeelin' Good Time"

Kenai Peninsula Fair's  
7th Annual Celebrity Waiter Event

**Saturday April 14th, 2012**



**Location:**

Kenai Peninsula Fairgrounds in Ninilchik

**Time:**

Doors open @ 6:00 p.m.

**Cost:**

\$30.00 each or \$55.00 per couple

*Get your tickets on line at [www.kenaipeninsulafair.com](http://www.kenaipeninsulafair.com)*

## Cathy Tilton

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**From:** Sen. Linda Menard  
**Sent:** Friday, January 20, 2012 12:10 PM  
**To:** Cathy Tilton  
**Subject:** FW: KRSA request to Legislative Council for sanctioning of Kenai River Classic events

See below.

Michael Rovito  
Chief-of-Staff  
Office of Senator Linda Menard  
Alaska State Capitol  
Room 9  
Juneau, Alaska 99801  
Office- 907-465-6600  
Cell- 907-982-3633

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Sen. Menard is also on Facebook.*

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**From:** Ricky Gease [<mailto:ricky@krasa.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, January 20, 2012 12:06 PM  
**To:** 'Senator\_Linda\_Menard@legis.state.ak.us'  
**Cc:** Kelly Hanke  
**Subject:** KRSA request to Legislative Council for sanctioning of Kenai River Classic events

January 20, 2012

Dear Senator Linda Menard:

Kenai River Sportfishing Association requests sanctioning by the Alaska Legislative Council for the following three educational events in 2012:

1. Kenai River Classic – July 5, 6 and 7;
2. Kenai River Jr. Classic – August 14; and
3. Kenai River Women's Classic – September 6, 7 and 8.

These events are educational opportunities to promote the sustainability of the Kenai River as a world class fishery and why it is important to care about this resource. Proceeds of these events go to KRSA, a 501 ( c ) 3 charitable non-profit organization.

KRSA then uses these funds for fishery and habitat conservation, research and education programs. KRSA also uses these funds to support educational programs through many community partnerships, including those with the JBER, the Boy Scouts, the Girl Scouts, the Athena Society and other such groups.

Please contact me at your earliest convenience if there is any other information regarding these events at the KRSA office – (907) 262-8588.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Ricky Gease, Executive Director  
Kenai River Sportfishing Association